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AMENDMENT A

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 2, 2004, entry of the following amendments and reconsideration of claims as amended are respectfully requested.

Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time of two months in responding to the Office Action dated June 2, 2004, on the above-identified application.

The extension extends the time to respond from September 2, 2004, to November 2, 2004, and this petition, together with an amendment and the requisite fees, are being filed concurrently with a certificate of mailing on or before the latter date. This request for an extension of time would allow this Amendment A to be submitted five months after the date of the Office Action.

Accordingly, the appropriate fee for extension of time is that stated in 37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(2) for a large entity, which is a \$430.00 extension fee for response within the second month. Since after the Amendment A, 28 claims remain pending, of which 4 are independent, and since in the application 28 claims were paid for, of which 4 were independent, no additional fee for claims is believed to be due.

Simultaneously with the filing of this Amendment A, a Petition for Revival of an Application Abandoned for Failure to Notify the Office of a Foreign or International Filing is also being filed. Since the Petition to Revive must be sent to must be sent to a different mail stop than this Amendment A and extension of time, it is not enclosed herewith, but rather is being sent separately.

The total thus due for this Amendment A is \$430.00, and a check for the \$430.00 for the extension fee and the Petition for Revival is enclosed herewith. The Patent and Trademark Office is also authorized to charge any additional fee(s) required to secure

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entry of this Amendment A, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-0882.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 4 of this Amendment A.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this Amendment A.

Please make the following amendments to the application: